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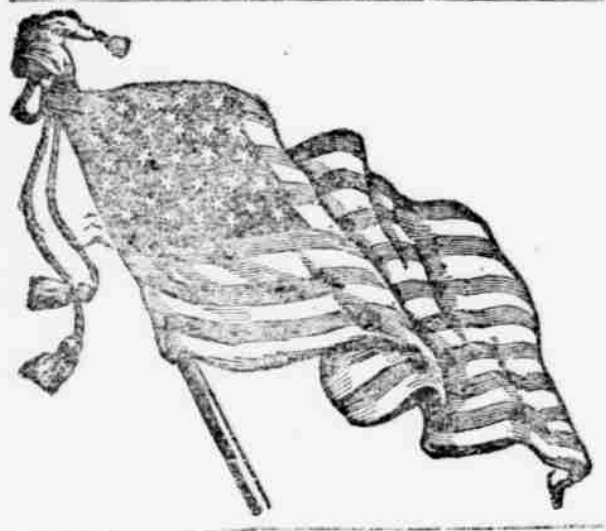
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Vermont has over 11,000 men in the service of Uncle Sam, a record of which to be proud.

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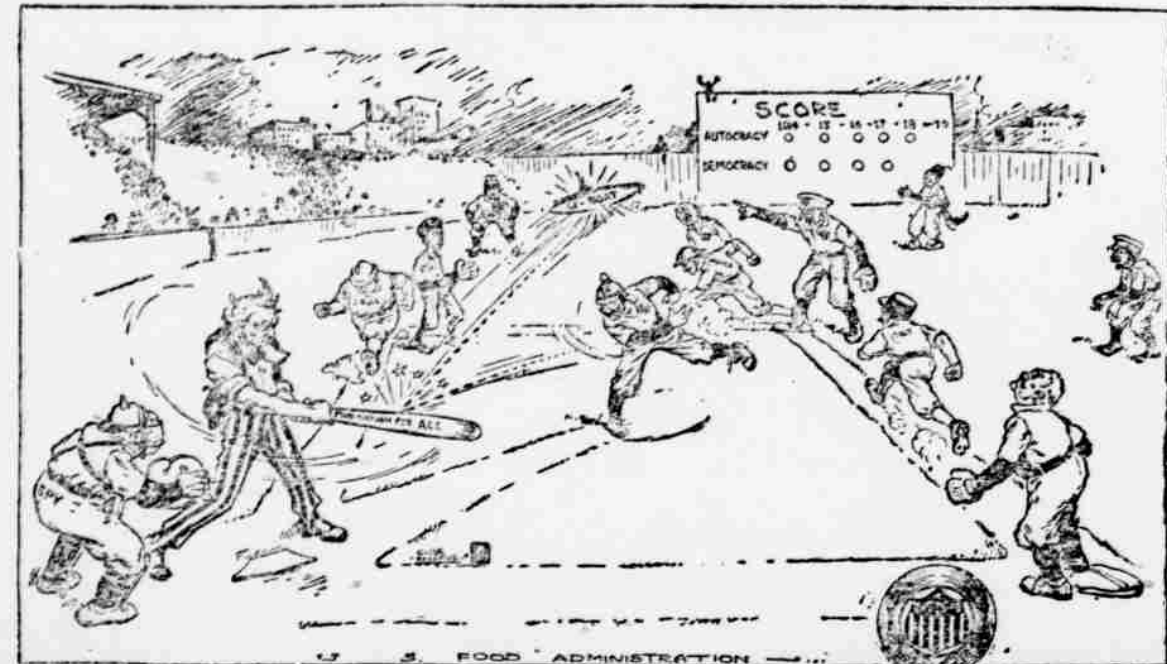
M. M. Taplin, as county chairman of the Fourth Liberty loan drive, put through a big thing in a splendid way and deserves much credit for the success of the loan in this county. Except for his personal efforts several towns would have fallen short of their allotment. Now he tackles another big job in directing the campaign for the United War Work Council in Orleans county.

Glover easily holds its lead in the per capita purchase of war savings stamps in Orleans county. Its purchase has passed the \$15 mark per inhabitant. Derby ranks second with a purchase of over \$13 and Barton third with over \$11. There are only two months now in which to redeem war stamp pledges and put our quota on the \$20 per inhabitant figure. Some towns have got some hustling to do.

If there ever was a time in the history of the nation when a comprehensive, up-to-date administration of the affairs of the respective states will be needed, that time will be at the conclusion of the war. It may be said with pride that Vermont is preparing for that time, and preparing with greater forethought than most of us have considered, in the selection of the men whose names will appear upon the state ticket in the Republican column at the November election. When the war is over Vermont, as well as all the other states will be confronted with great and momentous problems. Vermont will have for governor a man whose experience in the business world has covered a half century. Mr. Clement has been an active and successful business man. He has dealt with large affairs. He is, therefore, fitted for the big affairs of state that are sure to come. No man knows Vermont better than Mr. Stone. He will be a most valuable state official, who will work hand in hand with the executive that Vermont may do her full share in the readjustment period. Mr. Scott, as treasurer; Mr. Gates, as auditor; Mr. Black, as secretary of state and Mr. Archibald, as attorney general, are men who have proven their ability and their desire for Vermont to be a leader in the states of the nation. Would it have been possible to have selected a better ticket at this critical time in our country's history?

Bringing Drama Up to Date.
F. E. Atkinson of Boston says he saw an unusual performance of "Romeo and Juliet" at a town in the middle West. The players introduced a game of cards in the balcony scene.

The Pinch Hitter



It was tightening of the American belt that made this hit possible. The game is won if we keep it up.

WHAT THE PAPERS SAY.

Autos in U. S.

Now that the age of buggy parties has practically passed away, except perhaps on a gasless Sunday, many people have asked the question, "How many automobiles are there in the United States?" According to registration statistics collected by a tire company from the various states between January 1 and June of this year no less than 5,461,791 automobiles were registered as compared with 4,810,917 in 1917. This is a gain of more than half a million cars or approximately 15 per cent. Vermont according to the table, showed a gain of 29 per cent, 18,940 cars being registered in the first five months of 1918 compared to 14,675, for the whole of 1917.—Brattleboro Reformer.

Brave and Cheerful.

Private Emery of Newport, son of Col. and Mrs. C. S. Emery, has been decorated for bravery and cheerfulness in action in France. Thus one of the most coveted prizes a soldier can possess goes to this youthful Vermont soldier. Whatever the future may hold for him in years to come in the way of rewards, none will equal in value to him or his family this decoration won in the field. Soldiers who win it will be envied by men who wear the stars of a general. It is priceless. To be brave, exceedingly brave, is a basis for bestowing the medal. To combine with bravery a cheerfulness which is mentioned in orders as being a stimulus to his comrades in battle is a double distinction. The cheerful man is a Godsend to a military outfit as any one with experience will promptly testify. The text books put a premium on such a man. Vermont will want to get better acquainted with this youngster when the war is over and he comes back to the homeland.—St. Albans Messenger.

Business is Business.

"What did you dun me for? 'Fraid you wouldn't get your pay? Ain't I good for it?" Business men frequently hear this. It usually comes from persons known to be slow pay, or doubtful altogether. Men or women able or disposed to settle their obligations seldom object to a plain statement of their accounts. But suppose everybody took the same stand. How long would the average business man's working capital last if he had to meet his own bills and wait on the convenience of people who owe him? And suppose he said to the party owing him money: "Ain't I good for it?"—come Saturday night. How many of them would show up Monday morning? And stock in trade, it has to be paid for, promptly, or one loses credit. Rents, insurance, taxes, living expenses, these cannot be put off. It is usually because the party considers himself "good for it." The only way to keep the wheel turning and turning right is for all to give it a push forward, and no push counts more than the push given by a check in full.—Randolph Herald and News.

The Sheppard Amendment.

Read it again. See just what it means, and what it does not mean. Then you will know what you are voting for or against.

Section 1. After one year from the ratification of this article the manufacture, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited.

Sec. 2. The congress and the several states shall have concurrent power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

Sec. 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the constitution by the legislatures of the several states, as provided in the constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission thereof to the states by congress.

The statement made by some opponents of ratification, to the effect that the amendment seeks to shut off also the use of liquor for medicinal purposes, is misleading and not founded on fact. The amendment would prohibit the manufacture, sale or transportation of liquor for beverage purposes, and does not interfere with the legitimate use of liquor.—Ludlow Tribune.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for full particulars. Address: F. J. CHERRY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

VERMONT NOTES.

Col. H. T. Johnson, adjutant general, has compiled the figures showing the number of men from Vermont who have gone into the service of the country, which probably no state in the Union can equal, considering the size of its population. A total of 11,170 have joined the colors in both branches. Rutland leads in the army with 1,441, while Washington leads by a big margin in the navy with 208. The number of men who have gone into the two branches by counties follows:

	Army.	Navy.
Addison	453	63
Bennington	544	46
Caledonia	674	42
Chittenden	1,250	144
Essex	201	9
Franklin	844	20
Grand Isle	110	20
Lamoille	445	24
Orange	454	29
Orleans	555	53
Rutland	1,441	197
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Windham	888	73
Windsor	1,067	73

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"Fire prevention at all times, but especially at this time, is a patriotic duty, therefore, I, Horace F. Graham, governor, designate Saturday, Nov. 2, 1918, Fire Prevention Day and I urge the cooperation of newspapers, civic bodies, churches, schools and homes, that every influence may be used to promote fire prevention. Every person in the state is called upon to emphasize the subject of bettering all the ways we live, and to reduce the hazards of fire. We must have wealth to win the war, and the destruction of property by fire delays our war endeavors. We are straining every effort to bring to war to an early and successful close. We may best secure an early peace by continuing to prepare for a long war. We must protect all property, and one of the best means of conserving property is safeguarding it from fire."

Vermont Church Unions Number 22.

Rev. Wm. Shaw, chairman of the conference of denominational superintendents and secretaries of Vermont (representing Baptist, Congregational and Methodist denominations) has given out a statement regarding the recent meeting of the conference and specially regarding the progress that was then reported as to unions and federations between churches in the smaller communities of the state. During the period of 17 months, since about May 1, 1917, there have been 22 instances of such a union or federation.

By these changes, nine whole towns have been given over into the care of one Protestant church. The number of Baptist churches which have united or federated: 8; Congregational, 19; Methodist, 14; Universalist, 1. Fourteen of these changes have been made on the "exchange of fields" plan. Number of full-time ministers freed or "conserved" for service elsewhere, 14; amount of home missionary money freed, \$1,900.

It was found that on account, largely of war conditions, there were 40 vacancies in the pulpits in the state representing these denominations and it was voted that there be the utmost possible reciprocity between the denominations in supplying nearby vacant churches during the war period.

Rev. William Shaw was re-elected chairman of the conference, and Rev. C. C. Merrill, secretary.

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The epidemic of Spanish Influenza which played such havoc in Europe, has reached this continent. Thousands of cases of the strange malady have appeared and many deaths are already reported; Surgeon-General Blue of the United States Public Health Service having stated that "Spanish Influenza will probably spread all over the country in six weeks."

Practically every ship which touches our shores from abroad, brings these infected with the disease.

Surgeon-General Blue urges that "the individual take all the precautions he can against contracting the disease by care and personal hygiene." Plenty of exercise should be taken; the diet should be regulated, etc.

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Estate of Avis E. Wilson

STATE OF VERMONT

The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Orleans, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Avis E. Wilson, deceased:

GREETING:

WHEREAS said court has assigned the 8th day of November next for examining and allowing the account of the administrator of the estate of said deceased, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the heirs and assigns of said deceased, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Orleans County Monitor, a newspaper published at Barton in said district.

THEREFORE, you are hereby notified that the Probate office in Barton in said district at 2 p. m., at the office of E. J. SMITH, Judge, on the 8th day of November next, they are then and there to contest the allowance of said account if you see cause, and to establish your right as heirs, legatees and lawful claimants to said residue.

Given under my hand this 14th day of October, 1918.

E. J. SMITH, Judge

Estate of Cynthia E. Webster

STATE OF VERMONT

The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Orleans, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Cynthia E. Webster, late of Barton, in said district deceased,

GREETING:

At a Probate Court, holden at Barton within and for said District on the 18th day of October, 1918, an instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Cynthia E. Webster, late of Barton, in said District deceased, was presented to the Court aforesaid.

And it is ordered by said Court that the 7th day of November, 1918, at the Probate office in said Newport at 12 o'clock p. m., be assigned for proving said instrument, and that notice thereof be given to all persons concerned by publishing this order three weeks successively in the Orleans County Monitor, a newspaper circulating in that vicinity in said District previous to the time appointed.

THEREFORE, you are hereby notified to appear before said Court, at the time and place aforesaid, and contest the probate of said will if you have cause.

Given under my hand at Newport, in said district, this 18th day of October, 1918.

B. M. SPOONER, Register

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The Probate office at NEWPORT will be open every day, except Sundays and holidays; but those coming from a distance, as far as possible, should make special appointments with the Court in advance.

E. J. SMITH, Judge

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Fred D. Pierce

Commissioner's Notice
Estate of Albert N. Vance

The undersigned having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Orleans, Commissioners to receive, examine, and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Albert N. Vance, late of Albany in said District, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the residence of the late Albert N. Vance in the town of Albany in said district on the 22nd day of November and 28th day of March next from 12:30 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m. on each of said days and that six months from the 4th day of October A. D. 1918 is the time limited by said Court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at Albany this 17th day of October A. D. 1918.

E. A. ANDRUS,
D. H. HACKETT,
Commissioners

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